

CITY OF TUCSON Development Services Department

## 2006 Code Adoptions

On June 12, 2007, the Mayor and Council approved Ordinance 10417 which adopts the 2006 International Building Code, 2006 International Residential Code, 2006 International Energy Conservation Code, 2006 International Fuel Gas Code, and the 2005 National Electrical Code and the local amendments for these codes.

The above mentioned codes and amendments were passed with an emergency clause, making them effective immediately. There will be a 31-day grace period where either the 2003 International Codes (2002 NEC) or the 2006 International Codes (2005 NEC) will be accepted. The grace period will end on Friday, July 13, 2007.

The 2006 Uniform Plumbing Code, 2006 International Plumbing Code, 2006 International Mechanical Code and the local amendments will be presented to Mayor & Council for their consideration on July 10, 2007

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## Frequently asked questions:

- 1. If it's submitted and approved from today to the end of the 30 day grace period, do they only have one year with this model? Yes If submitted as a 2003 code prior to the 31 day grace period, they only get the one year.
- 2. If it is in the system NOW (submitted prior to the code adoption) but not approved yet, do they only have one year on the model? Yes Any plan submitted with the 2003 code prior to the 31 day grace period, only gets the one year.
- 3. All models that expire from this day forward with the 2003 code can't be renewed? Unless they expire in this 31 day Grace period. They will get the one year.
- 4. Can model plans with the 2003 code be revised to fit the 2006 code and continue to be active for the remaining time they have?

  Yes If the model is revised to meet all 2006 code, they can continue with that model for the remainder of the time they have.